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Testimony of Department of Motor Vehicles Commissioner Melody A. Currey Transportation Committee Public Hearing March 12, 2012

S.B. No. 387 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF REMANUFACTURED PARTS FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE STATE'S MOTOR VEHICLE FLEET to encourage the use of recycled, remanufactured and aftermarket parts for the repair of the state fleet.

Good morning Senator Maynard, Representative Guerrera, Senator Boucher, Representative Scribner and other members of the Transportation Committee.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on SB 387, AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF REMANUFACTURED PARTS FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE STATE'S MOTOR VEHICLE FLEET.

The Department supports the concept behind this legislation that would help promote the use of recycled and remanufactured parts of the state fleet of motor vehicles. DMV would want to be assured, however, that these parts do not affect the safety of our law enforcement vehicles, and all state vehicles, and that the bill would still allow DAS to use original parts if they believe safety may be affected by the use of such parts.

Thank you for allowing me to submit comments on SB 387.